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at about 1630
12 January, 1949. On this day/the undersigned took the Portuguese
Situation Report (Sections I and II) to B/WE where was directed to discuss it
with Mr. ^{25X1C} [REDACTED] Told him that whereas the other sections of the report
were possibly salvagable, these were hopeless---that they were written in
a childish style; were inconsistent, contradictory, incoherent, inaccurate,
and irrelevant. Saidz Pointed out that I had marked certain passages as
reasonably typical, but that the thing in general would simply have to be
rewritten.